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Pursuant to MPEP § 2001.06(b) applicants bring the following co-pending applications to the Examiner's attention (copies are also enclosed):

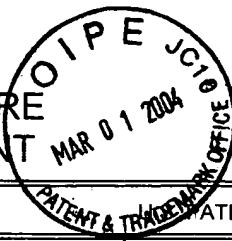
1. Applicant: Hafkamp et al.
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PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIALS		DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	NAME OF INVENTOR	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	1	6,494,920	12/17/02	Weuthen et al.	8	137	
	2	2003/0078183	04/24/03	Hafkamp et al.	510	421	
	3	4,097,418	06/27/78	Rolfes	252	531	

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	4	01/104,700	04/21/89	Japanese			YES
	5	00/08129	02/17/00	WO			YES
	6	00/45788	08/10/00	WO			NO
	7	1 302 531	04/16/03	Europe			YES
	8	2 258 403	02/10/93	Great Britain			YES
	9	2 358 404	07/25/01	Great Britain			YES
	10	99/51714	10/14/99	WO			YES
	11	2 352 245	01/24/01	Great Britain			YES

OTHER DOCUMENTS

	12	GB Search Report in a GB Application GB 0228354.7
	13	WPI Abstract No. 1999-369936[31] & RD 422034 A (QUEST) 10.06.99
	14	Derwent Abstract of British Application 01 24306.2 published September 11, 2002.
	15	Derwent Abstract of British Application 01 24308.8 published October 10, 2001
	16	Co-pending Application: Applicant: Hapkamp et al., Attorney Docket No.: C4161(C); Serial No.: 10/268,248; Filed: Oct.10,2002
	17	Co-pending Application: Applicant: Beers et al., Attorney Docket No.: C4196(C); Serial No.: 10/353,725; Filed: January 29, 2003

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